

MY LAST ISSUE.

For nearly ten years have I labored to raise the South Kentuckian to the place it now occupies. In Kentucky journalism and having named and ushered it into existence, I cannot give it up without deep feelings of regret. My aim has been to conduct a paper for the best interests of the city and county, and while at times the course of the paper may have been severely criticised, the public will at least be charitable enough to credit me with honesty of purpose.

To the press boys who have unannouncedly treated me with such courtesy and who have at times spoken so complimentary of the KENTUCKIAN, in a feeble way I can but express my appreciation of such manifestations of good will and fraternal feeling. I assure them, one and all, that in leaving them I can only hope that their aspirations and ambitions may all be gratified and that the shakels may rise up in stacks before them.

It will be a pleasure to me to always remember those who have given the KENTUCKIAN their patronage and support and who have cheered and encouraged me along the journalistic pathway. Such influence has been duly appreciated.

To the many lady friends of the KENTUCKIAN who have been generous in patronage and kind words, I wish to extend my profound thanks, and whatever my field of labor may be hereafter, fond remembrances of your kindness will ever be entertained.

If I have made enemies by my career as a journalist, it is not my will that they be such, for I have only acted in accordance with what I conceived to be right and just and not with any intention to offend.

In turning over the KENTUCKIAN to Mr. Chas. M. Meacham, who was associated with me for nearly nine years in publishing the paper, I recognize in him one amply able to properly conduct it and to elevate it still higher in its field of usefulness.

Messrs. T. E. Bartley and Allan Wallis, both experienced newspaper men, will render Mr. Meacham valuable assistance.

And now to friends, patrons, one and all, I bid a reluctant farewell.
Very Truly,
W. A. WILGUS.

The Prison Commissioners released six more convicts on parole from the penitentiary this week, under the new law passed by the last Legislature.

Halford, the appointed private secretary of Harrison, was born in England, and it is said that Harrison is related to Jeff. Davis. The country is going to the dogs.

The constitutionality of the local option law has been affirmed by the Court of Appeals, on an appeal from Hardin county by J. R. Neighbors, who was fined \$100 for selling liquor.

Every Thanksgiving day since he went into office, Whitney, Secretary of the Navy, has given every employee of the department a turkey. It took 400 to go round last Wednesday. He is Minister of Turkey as well as Secretary of the Navy.

The National Press Association in session at San Antonio, Tex., last week, elected J. R. Pettis, of Arkansas, President for the ensuing year, and then adjourned to take an excursion to the City of Mexico. The next meeting will be held in Detroit.

Of course Harrison is opposed to the Blair educational bill. In the Senate on March 5, 1884, he said in his speech: "One dollar voted by the people in any school district for the support of the common schools is worth ten dollars given out of the Treasury of the United States."

A recent decision of the United States Supreme Court settles a much disputed question on policies for life insurance. That court holds that a policy of insurance taken out in the name of, and payable to a man's wife or children, can under no circumstances be attached by the creditors of the deceased husband or father.

As many papers have intimated, we do not believe that James G. Blaine is going to boss the new administration. Mr. Harrison is a man of his own head, and it is hardly probable that he will be bullied by the gentleman from Maine. During the canvass, it is true, Mr. Blaine seemed to cast Harrison in the shade, but it will soon be the President-elect's day to shine, and the great letter-writer may have to content himself with a back seat. Between the two, we say hurrah for Harrison!

The Louisville Times of the 27th inst. makes the following sensible suggestion: "We strongly advise Democrats not to sign the petitions of Republicans for positions which Democrats now hold. Gen. Harrison has pledged himself to Civil Service Reform, in its letter and spirit. No doubt he will violate this pledge, but there is no reason why we should smooth the way for him, and enable him to say that he makes changes in obedience to the general wish of the community without distinction of party. It would be far better for Democrats to send remonstrances against a change, and let the removal appear, as it really will be, for party

ANARCHY!

ALMOST A TRAGEDY AND QUITE A FARCE.

The Formality of Trial Gone Through With.

TRAGEDY.

Last Tuesday morning at 10:30 a large crowd gathered at the City Court room to find out whether City Attorney Ferguson would insist on trying a number of the young men of the city, who had been cited to appear before the City Judge to answer the charge of disturbing the peace and disorderly conduct.

When a representative of this paper took his place in the crowd, as near in front as he could get, the court was in the midst of the trial of a Teutonic meat man of Sixth street, Max Meyer, and his next door neighbor, H. M. Drexler, who is engaged in the same business as the "Frenchman from Berlin." We failed to catch all the evidence, but heard enough of it to come to the conclusion that if Mr. Meyer had given a little more rein to his temper—which at times seems to a great altitude, taking with it all the discretion and better judgment of Mr. Meyer—the life of his neighbor would have been endangered, if not taken. Mr. Drexler testified that Mr. Meyer threatened to kill him, that a huge knife was to do the bloody work, and then the departed spirit of Mr. Meyer's victim and Mr. Meyer would get along in peace. But, strange to say, the tragedy was averted by some one calling the police. The jury fined Meyer \$10 and Drexler \$5. It is to be hoped that this is the last difficulty these two meat men will have.

FARCE—ACT I.

SCENE 1st.—The City Attorney, contrary to the expectations of some of the by-standers, announced his determination and readiness to prosecute on behalf of the city the following named young men for the grand blow-out of John Gentry on the 10th of this month—the ever-to-be-remembered railroad election day: Charles Bousle, Harry Tandy, Walter Blythe, Charles and Jake Meyer, Jo Steinbagen, Claude Clark, Ed Trice and James Radford. There were several lawyers for the defense, namely A. H. Clark, Judge McPherson, Ohio Anderson, Col. Sybert, Jas. Breathitt, Lee Johnson, G. M. Bell and S. Walton Forgy. It was evident that the City Court room would not hold the large number of persons who wanted to witness the farce of a trial, and the Court, by invitation, repaired to the Circuit Court room. The actors who had an engagement "for one day only," through their attorneys asked that a jury should be empaneled. The prosecution thought to head off the game by trying the young men for a breach of the peace, but the lynx-eyed Col. Clark was a little too fast for him and beat the City Attorney at his own game. So the trial was agreed on for disorderly conduct. A few minutes before 12 a jury of six with great difficulty was obtained and the court adjourned until after "filling up time."

ACT II.

SCENE 1st.—Enter the Hon. Court Lawyers seated around the tables. The culprits in high good humor. Everybody smoking cigars and cigarettes. Trial begins.

John Gentry sworn and takes the witness chair. Testifies that he came to town on the 10th day of November to go to a party at the house of a friend. Down on Main street had a few fire crackers thrown at his feet by a lot of boys. Recognized several of the boys present as having thrown the fire crackers. Was followed down the street by them, whose number increased the farther he went. Soon there were 150 or 200—white and black—following him; he wasn't afraid, but walked tolerably fast. Finally they came to a traction engine under full head of steam and the boys set the engine after him.

SCENE 2d, Act 2d—Gentry out of the way of the engine.

Gentry went out Seventh street to the College and then turned into 9th street, followed by the crowd, crying "Stop thief!" blowing horns, ringing bells, shooting fire crackers, &c., &c. Still not afraid, but keeps on going. Just before he reached the house of a relative he was struck by a rock—some where. Still not scared a bit—thought the boys only wanted to have "a little fun" with him; not uneasy when he reached relative's house and entered same at once.

ACT III.

SCENE 1st.—Hayden Ferguson called to testify.

In substance agrees with the testimony of Gentry.

SCENE 2d—Bob Ferguson takes the stand.

Not much in his testimony differing from the other two witnesses. Was told by Charlie Anderson to advise his cousin not to stay in town that night. The advice was given in a friendly way.

SCENE 3d—A house near the mill with the shining waters of the river in plain view.

A large crowd gathered near the house and invited Mr. Gentry out for a social bath—but it might have been a ducking. The Captain on horse finally got the crowd away, and nobody was hurt, nobody was scared. Gentry wasn't, for he came back into town the next morning.

ACT IV.

SCENE 1st.—Lawyers making speech.

SCENE 2d.—The best song of the

All of them did the best they could in that small time.

SCENE 2d—Case given to the jury.

The jury of six retired and in a few minutes brought in a verdict of acquittal of the whole crowd.

GRAND FINALE.

A grand hurrah went up from the crowd when the verdict was read. The main witnesses looked like he didn't care if the horse did get off so easily. The boys looked very much relieved. The City Attorney and his assistant, M. D. Brown, realized that they had lost the case, though they had done all they could to gain it. The City Judge, who probably did not believe there was anything in the case from the beginning, but felt it to be his sworn duty to try it, did not change color the least when he read the verdict of the jury. All left the court house in good humor as the curtain dropped, and it is to be hoped that the miserable farce will drop out of remembrance. It was a grand play with a full company and a large house.

The Mother's Friend.

Not only shortens labor and lessens pain but greatly diminishes the danger to life of both mother and child. It is used a few months before confinement.

Sold by Buckner Leavell, Druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

IT WAS A SUCCESS.

A Bery of Beauties Before the Footlights Tuesday Night.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. ENTERTAINMENT.

The entertainment given by the Y. W. C. T. U. at the Opera House Tuesday night was quite well attended and proved to be a very enjoyable affair. The ladies having it in charge had worked long and faithfully in getting up the concert and they deserve much credit for its success.

The exercises opened with a Dairy Maids' Convention in which about twenty young ladies took part. The convention was called to order by Miss Mary Feland and was thereupon organized by the election of Miss Albertine Wallis as President. This young lady, who has a clear and well modulated voice, proceeded to state the object of the meeting, and after the selection of a Secretary some entertaining recitations were made by the young ladies, who were all attired in costumes of red and white with red "scoops" on their heads. Below are some of the local hits:

"THE HOPKINSVILLE MILK-MAIDS' GREETING"

was recited by Miss Kitty Zimmer:

I'm a milk-maid of Hopkinsville city,
For milk, cream and butter the queen,
Forberds of sleek Holsteins and Jerseys,
From Bedford's and Geo. Y. Green,
It's a treat I assure you, of the likes it will cure you,
To see the boys pour in a stream,
To a Y. W. T. Supper to drink milk from a dipper,
And invest half-a-dollar in cream,
When a fire breaks out Captain Twyman,
Aims the nozzle as high as a spire,
And while the town-bell keeps ringing-dinging,
With latter-day milk pails on the fire,
Then it's jolly and funny to see milk and honor,
Fountain the fire scorched town,
While the pigs in the gutter as they swirl milk and butter,
Grant, "don't they do us up brown."

An Embrace of old when she journeyed.

Their milk was a bath and comestice,
To make her cheek, supple and strong,
And I think some modern young donkeys,
Might improve their complexion and skin,
If they only would go and do likewise,
Nor seek their poor noses in gin.

Queen Juno once owned a better.

A sweet-breathed and beautiful Jersey,
A brown-eyed and fawn-colored Jersey,
Worth six hundred dollars at least,
One evening that cow kicked the bucket,
And then she jumped over the moon,
The Milky Way streamed down the heavens,
You can skim it to-night with a spoon.

We've had, so I'm told, an election.

"Carra," "Elen N." and "O. V."
We can ride to New York or Chicago,
Or southeastward run down to the sea,
And if droughts ever dry Little River,
And threaten a shortage of steam,
We'll grab locomotives with butter,
And the water-tanks fill up with cream.

A toast to Miss Jennie Cassidy,

founder of the Fower Mission of Louisville, who has taken a great interest in the society here, was recited by Miss Mary Feland.

Here's to her whose sweet touch of affliction
Caused the Flower Mission garden to bloom,
And hallowed like Christ's benediction
The invalid's chamber of gloom.

The blessings of heaven be wafted

On the angels who do good by stealth,
And so, with full goblets uplifted,
We'll drink Jean's Capote over the sea.

Then came "The Washington Dairy Queens,"

by Miss Mary Anderson.

Four years in the Washington dairy
"OUR FRANKIE" has stabled her cow;
Her milk was worth hundreds of millions—
It's Mrs. Ben Harrison's now.

Thus the wheel of Dame Fortune keeps turning.

She changes the world at her will;
But over our boat one flag shall still float,
And Providence pilot us still.

FRANKIE shall have our fond adieu.

The pure, the beautiful, the true;
Though from the White House she departs
We'll cherish her in our heart of hearts.

May the who follows on the stage

Write womanhood as fair a page
The pattern of a spotless life,
Heaven's last, best gift, the Model wife.

Miss Lila Belle Donaldson perpetrated the following:

The Hopkinsville dairy is booming,
The ice of monopoly's humming—the O. V. is coming,
And you owe me a V for this joke.

This by a little Mary Anderson,

aged five years, with a sucking-bottle, was loudly applauded:

If I had a bucket of money
I'd put this old thing on the shelf,
I'd buy me a new cedar bucket
And milk a whole cow for myself.

After this feature was over a number

of solos were sung by Mr. Moore, Mr. Lochridge, Miss Pattie Mercer, Miss Nora Rogers and others. Duets were also sung by Mr. Reynolds and Miss Genevieve Anderson and Messrs. Hill and Anderson. The best song of the

evening was the dairy song in which four young ladies dressed to represent cans were labeled Uter, Morris, Ritter and Rice, to represent the four dairy men of the city, while two young men were placed at either end of the line to represent a pump and a bag of chalk. This allusion to the supposed ingredients of dairy milk caused considerable merriment at the expense of the milkmen.

Perhaps the most creditable part of the program was the military drill by a company of pretty young ladies. They were twelve in number as follows: Misses May Anderson, Helen Yancey, Lila Belle Donaldson, Ethel Braden, Delia Fuqua, Willie Wallace, Nora Rogers, Mary Feland, Genevieve Anderson, Daisy Anderson, Gamie Wallis and May Fuqua. In this the young soldiers were costumed in red skirts and white waists with black girdles and presented a very handsome appearance. They acquitted themselves throughout a lengthy drill in a most praiseworthy manner. They were drilled by Captain John Feland and were put through the marches, wheels and other difficult evolutions of Upton's military tactics. They kept step perfectly and showed a familiarity with the various movements that would have done credit to the Latham Guards.

At the conclusion of the concert a supper was served in a store room across the street, which was not the least enjoyable feature.

We are glad to note that the affair netted quite a nice sum, which will be used by the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The twelve young ladies who took part in the drill had their pictures taken in a group in their drill suits the following day.

An Experience.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., June 27, 1888. The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.: Gentlemen—In 1884 a friend of mine contracted a terrible case of blood poison, and at once sought advice of the best physicians. After a four months trial with a feeling of greatest despondency, he left Chattanooga for Hot Springs, where he remained three months. The treatment there did not seem to do him any good, and with a crushed spirit and with death in his worst form staring him in the face, he came home. He saw an advertisement of your medicine. As his friend I supplied him with the first four bottles. I was astonished at the result. After the third bottle the sores all disappeared, and his recovery was rapid. In three months he was hard at work, and there has been no return of the disease. I withhold his name from the public, but will send it in confidence to any who write for it. I give this certificate cheerfully.

D. B. DAVENPORT.

13 and 15 1/2th street.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

The Swift Specific Co., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

Danville now has a steam laundry in operation, and it will not be long, at the present rate of increase, before every town of any consequence in the State will have one of these modern enemies to the "heathen Chinese." Hopkinsville has just had one established, and many dollars heretofore sent to laundries out of the State will now be kept at home, if our people will do as they should and give a united support to the new enterprise.

Here is great encouragement to the ambitious apprentice in a printing office. The first appointment made by Mr. Harrison is a practical printer. The Louisville Times says of him: "Twenty-five years ago E. W. Halford, Mr. Harrison's private secretary, was working as a job printer, and gave up a position as such to become a reporter on the Indianapolis Journal. The first item he wrote was a ten-line advertisement."

Nothing so much pleases a business as strictly first-class stationery printed in a manner satisfactory to a close observer. The work turned out by the KENTUCKIAN is such as to stand the test, and all who want the cheapest and best of work should send or bring their orders in.

State Senator Cassius M. Clay, Jr.,

of Bourbon county, will be married next week to a daughter of State Senator John D. Harris, of Madison county. The affair will paralyze the entire bluegrass section with its brilliancy.

Since General Palmer's withdrawal

from the G. A. R. an effort is being made to organize a National Association of Democratic veterans.

SYRUP OF FIGS

Its excellent qualities commend it to all who realize the importance of Human Health and Happiness, of a truly healthy, elegant and effective liquid laxative to cleanse the System, when bilious, costive, to Dispel Gases and Headaches, and to Permanently Cure

Habitual Constipation

SYRUP OF FIGS Possessing all the above qualities, is rapidly becoming the universal favorite, especially with ladies and children, as it is pleasant to the taste, and perfectly SAFE IN ALL CASES.

MANUFACTURED ONLY BY THE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.

For Sale in 50c and \$1.00 Bottles By all Leading Druggists.

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CONSIGNED TO US BY THE LARGEST CLOTHING MANUFACTORY IN PHILADELPHIA

The Concern Finding Themselves Overstocked, Have Shipped Us About \$5,000.00 Worth Of Overcoats, Suits and Pants for Men, Boys and Children

To be sold for them regardless of Cost or Expense attached. Everything marked in plain figures the Cost of Manufacturing. If you want a Suit or Overcoat for Yourself or Boy, now is the opportunity. Call early before the best of them are sold.

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Pye, Dicken & Wall.

We will show to the citizens of Christian and adjoining counties, our hand in Low Prices and Good Goods. We carry the largest stock of

Clothing, Gent's Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes

In the city, we came here to sell goods and intend to do it. Object is no Money to us, for instance read our Patriotic Boom Prices.

MEN'S SUITS \$2.50 TO \$30.00.

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MEN'S 4 PLY LINEN COLLARS 7 1/2 CENTS WORTH 15 CENTS.

" " " CUFFS 10 " " 20 "

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MEN'S LATEST STYLE HATS 45 CENTS UP.

Come And Be Convinced And You Will Go Home Happy.

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THE BARGAIN STORE

GILLILAND & KENNEDY,

No. 230 NINTH STREET, NEAR DEPOT.

IS THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR GOODS, FOR LOW PRICES ALWAYS RULE AT OUR HOUSE.

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES,

AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

At Prices that will Open the Buyers' Eyes. The Best Jeans Pants in the World. We will sell Jeans Cheaper than any House in Town. The Best Dollar Corset in Town. Our Fifty Cent Corset Can't be Beat. All we ask is a Trial.

Princeton, Ky., July 23d, 1888.

We, the undersigned officers of Caldwell County, Ky., certify that a number of individuals, both white and black, living in Princeton and Caldwell County, Ky., were sufferers from Syphilis in its various stages, and are now in perfect health, having been cured by Foerg's Remedy.

W. S. RANDOLPH, Judge Caldwell County Court.

JOHN R. WYLIE, Clerk Caldwell Circuit Court.

FRANK A. PASTEUR, Clerk Caldwell County Court.

R. R. PICKERING, Sheriff Caldwell County.

J. M. POOL, Jailer Caldwell County.

L. L. BAKER, Assessor Caldwell County.

From one to three bottles will cure any case of gleet. Foerg's Remedy is purely vegetable, contains no mercury. One weeks trial will convince you of its merits. Ask your druggist for Foerg's Remedy. Price \$1 a bottle, prepared by Phil Foerg, Princeton, Ky.

9-1-17

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Rates: \$1.50 per day.

There's Money in Our Music

And our concert captivates customers because the silvery sound means sound silver, saved to every mother's son of them. We are willing to let

Competitors Play the Lyre!

There's no denying that they are great on that instrument and play with a good deal of vim but the lyre doesn't last like our instrument.

WE BLOW OUR HORN!

To announce another bargain offer in which we intend to paralyze prices and pulverize profits on every line of goods we carry. Nothing reserved, nothing exempt but big reductions all round.

We Play By Note

And if you set before us a Treasury Note for one, two or five dollars, we will play so that you will laugh 'till the gunpowder runs out of the heels of your boots. Bring along your notes and we'll make the music at

Ike Lipstine.

Main Street, Gish Corner.

1-6-17.

SOCIALITIES.

Mr. James Thompson, of Louisville, is in the city.

David G. Tuck, of Lafayette, was in the city yesterday.

W. B. Kennedy went to Louisville Friday on business.

Palmer Graves went to Russellville Wednesday evening.

A. W. Pyle is out again after a severe spell of sickness.

Mrs. C. T. Mason left for Birmingham, Ala., Wednesday.

Mrs. S. R. Crumbaugh went over to Clarksville Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. Radford has been seriously ill for several days.

Alex Cox and Walter Campbell spent yesterday in Nashville.

Miss Lula Watkins, Montgomery, visited friends here this week.

Mrs. Walker, of Louisville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Peland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gaither returned from Cincinnati last Wednesday.

Dr. R. P. Howard and wife, of Clarksville, spent Tuesday in the city.

Mrs. Frankel and daughters returned from Cincinnati last Monday night.

Dr. J. C. Thomas, of Pembroke, spent Wednesday and Thursday in the city.

Mr. C. T. Mason, of South Christian, left for Cincinnati last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. S. Forney who has been on a visit to friends in Cincinnati, returned Tuesday.

Miss Bettie J. Clark, of South Christian, is visiting the family of Capt. D. R. Beard.

Mr. Edward Bradshaw left for Paducah Wednesday, where he will remain several months.

Capt. Ned Campbell, of Henderson, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by Robert Knight.

Mr. R. G. Pryor, representing the Louisville Snider's Sons Co., of Cincinnati, was in the city last Tuesday.

Rev. J. C. Tate and wife, of Clarksville, came over Tuesday to attend the burial of Mrs. Mildred R. Goodall.

Mrs. Joe Weil, of Louisville, who had been on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Joe Frankel, left for home Friday, via Clarksville.

Messrs. Cardwell Brethitt and E. D. Sappington, of Arrow Rock, Mo., spent several days in the city this week, the guests of Maj. John W. Brethitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ex. Norton, and Miss Carrie Moore arrived in the city Wednesday morning. They are the guests of Mrs. Mary Campbell, South Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Jones returned from their bridal trip yesterday. They have taken rooms and board with Mr. Thomas Jones, East Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pike, of Nashville, passed through the city Wednesday, en route to Cadiz to attend the nuptials of Mr. G. H. Pike and Miss Pearl Dyer, which took place yesterday.

Among the guests at the Phoenix yesterday were Mrs. C. L. Wood and niece, Nashville; Chas. Rives, Lafayette; R. C. Talbot and J. R. Russell, Elkton; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chappell and child, Cadiz; and Mrs. B. F. Northington, Rawlins, Wyoming Territory.

Being More Pleasant

To the Taste, more acceptable to the stomach, and more truly beneficial in its action, the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is rapidly superseding all others. Try it. One bottle will prove its merits, for sale in 50 cents and \$1.00 bottles.

A LITTLE WAIF.

Last Tuesday morning a little waif was found on the store-room step of G. E. Gaither. Some one, unaware of the absence of Mr. Gaither from the city, and believing that he would kindly take the little one in when he found it, left it there early in the morning. When Jule Mercer, who went to the store quite early, espied it, it was resting quietly where the heartless person had placed it. It was neatly dressed in white muslin with lots of trimming. As Mr. Gaither was not at home, Jule and Ed. Boyd thought it their duty to take proper care of it until the one for whom it had been evidently left returned from Cincinnati. So the young gentlemen, who have as yet had no experience in taking care of babies, carried it into the store, and tying a piece of cord around its neck, hung it up at one side of the front door for the curious to gaze at. It is needless to say that the waif didn't mind it, as it was a rag baby.

School Report.

Monthly report of the scholarship and department of pupils attending school in district 65.

Sallie Pierce, 99; Cora Pankoy, 99; Laura Gary, 99; Willie Gary, 98; Marvin Pierce, 97; Tom West, 98; Gabe Littlefield, 98; Charlie Pierce, 96; Allen Owen, 97; Carney Whitefield, 97; Robert Gary, 96; Elsie Kemmerling, 97; Charlie Littlefield, 97; Phil Wolf, 94; Joe Wolf, 93; B. Wolf, 88.

JENNIE M. CANNON, Teacher.

HERE AND THERE.

The schools had holiday yesterday. Next Monday will be County Court day.

Ross A. Rogers' livery stable, Fritz's old stand.

The Public Schools had holiday yesterday.

Vacant dwellings are hard to be found.

The city election takes place tomorrow week.

The new Universalist church has been piped for gas.

The merchants are beginning to display their holiday goods.

Last Tuesday was the coldest day of the season—27 degrees above.

The names of the streets on the lamps have most all disappeared.

Three persons were baptized at the Baptist church Wednesday evening.

The Russell corner is the only unoccupied store room on Main street.

Mr. Fraser has pledged himself to put up a large lantern at the depot before he leaves the city.

Wily & Burnett have just rec'd the nicest select line of stationery and toilet articles. Everything new.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

Dr. F. W. Blakey was appointed Railroad Surgeon Wednesday, to fill the place of Dr. Fairleigh, deceased.

It is reported that the leader of the choir of one of the churches is soon to wed a worthy young gentleman of another section of the State.

Mr. G. H. Pike, one of the publishers of the Telephone, and Miss Pearl Dyer, a daughter of Judge A. H. Dyer, were married yesterday at Cadiz.

The new pavement in front of the store of John B. Galtbreath, W. H. Olvey and Chas. McKee & Co., is now completed, and is a good one.

The Reed Brothers, of Bellevue, last week sold W. J. Withers one hundred and ten head of hogs, the average weight per head being 325 pounds.

"Crisis Cross" was played to a small audience last Wednesday night. The play was one of the best that has been presented at the Opera House this season.

Mr. D. C. Williams and Miss Naomi Jones were married last Wednesday evening at the Fortson place, a few miles south of Pembroke, by Rev. Tiller.

On the fourth page of to-day's paper will be found a well written article by one of the hunting club that returned from a camp hunt between the rivers a few days since.

A complete small job printing office for sale, cheap. 7x11 O. S. Gordon press, bright as a dollar and in perfect order. Address Allan M. Wallis, this office.

Mr. Robert Burke is now domiciled in the Abernathy house on Ninth street. The house has been repaired and repaired and the public cannot find a better kept house anywhere.

Send your orders to J. S. Brown, Springfield, Tenn., for pure Tennessee and Kentucky whiskeys and apple and peach brandies. Prices of whiskeys \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25, according to age. Brandies \$2 and \$2.50.

Our people generally want the new administration to appoint Maj. S. R. Crumbaugh to the Owensboro Collectors and a petition to that effect is being circulated and receiving the signatures of men of all parties.

Monday a man took his buggy to the Blumstein Carriage Company for repairs, and it being left outside over night, next morning it was discovered that a thief during the night had stolen one of the wheels. The man is spotted.

Our friend Ross Rogers has brought out the livery business of Fritz Bros., next door to Yancey & Davidson's coal yard near the depot. Ross is one of the most popular young men in the city and deserves a liberal patronage.

It is probable that the Y. W. C. T. U. drill corps will go to Madisonville and Henderson soon. Capt. Feland deserves great credit for the thorough manner in which he has taught the young ladies to go through with all the different movements of the drill.

The two colored Baptist churches have been holding meetings for several weeks with great success. Next Sunday afternoon about one hundred and forty who have confessed their faith in Christ will be baptized at the mill pond.

For some time past R. W. Norwood has been engaged in the insurance business in the West, but has given it up and taken the position of route agent for the Adams Express Co. in Illinois. Mr. Norwood is one of the best Express men in the whole country.

Stop and think a moment. How would you like some morning to be notified that there was a handsome present for you at Latham's dry goods store? Every one purchasing as much as a dollar's worth of goods at Mr. Latham's is given a numbered ticket, and all have an equal chance of getting presents.

Messrs. Wily & Burnett are receiving their stock of holiday goods, which embraces all the new novelties. Since starting in business they made large additions to their stock of drugs, fancy articles, etc., and made a great improvement in their store. They are clever gentlemen and deserve the liberal patronage they are receiving.

Mr. Harry Fraser has had a force at work raising the main and side tracks of the railroad at Ninth street this week. About thirty hands have been at work and the tracks have been raised about eight inches and a great improvement made in the crossing. The whole yard extending from the old planing mill to the tank is to be overhauled. For a long time there has been steady employment given to about fifteen hundred hands on the Henderson Division, but the road is now in such excellent condition that the force has been reduced to about eleven hundred. During the two years Mr. Fraser has been here he has labored incessantly to put the road in the condition it is now in.

A month or more ago Mr. James McClure, a brother of Mr. M. L. McClure, who lives on 17th street, came to this city on a visit. While here he was taken sick, and suffered the most intense pain in his lower bowels. At times his physicians, Drs. Scargent and Gaines, were able to give him some relief, but his disease finally became unmanageable, and Mr. McClure died Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. A post mortem examination was made which revealed a complication of bowel troubles, but peritonitis was the cause of his death. His remains were shipped by express from the undertaking establishment of Thompson & McKeenolds to Louisville yesterday.

The third lecture of the Chautauque Circle by Col. Sanford on "Old Times and New," will be given at the Baptist church next Monday night the 3rd of December. One dollar and a half for six lectures is cheaper than season tickets are sold in any of the towns or cities near us, two dollars and two and a half being the usual prices. The Chautauque Circle does not wish to make any money, and should any accumulate they will put the price yet lower or add more lectures. We learn that they hope soon to work into their course the best musical talent of the country, and other attractive features. They deserve and need the hearty support of every good citizen.

The First National Bank, adjoining the bank on East 9th St., is conceded by all to be the leading shop in the city, and Marcus Young, the proprietor, is growing in popularity every day as a tenor artist. He employs none but first class assistants, and his motto is to please every patron of his shop. Politeness, courtesy and close attention to business are characteristics of which the proprietor is possessed. If you are a stranger in the city and want to be made to feel at home step into the First National Shop.

Lovers of handsome furniture should by all means visit the rooms of Messrs. Thompson & McKeenolds, on Main street. There they will find all of the newest designs, for that enterprising firm "catch on" to every novelty that is brought out. Their stock embraces everything in the furniture line, from the finest bridal set down to a kitchen safe or cheap chair. They are liberal dealers and all contemplating purchases of furniture should by all means take a look at their stock.

Dr. Reuben Medley, of Sacramento Ky., will fill Rev. Gibbs pulpit at Ford's Hall to-morrow night, Sunday and Sunday night. Dr. Medley has been preaching the doctrine of the final holiness and happiness of all mankind for nearly 40 years. He is a pleasant speaker and a sound reasoner. Come out and hear him.

Clarksville has more banks than any other town of its size in Tennessee. Which demonstrates the fact that there must be an immense business done here in order to support them all. Five banks in a town of 8,000 is not very bad.—Clarksville Chronicle. You haven't got as much banking capital as Hopkinsville has, though.

The regular monthly Teachers' Association will be held in the Public School building to-morrow, and a full attendance is desired. Jno. W. Payne will deliver the address of welcome. The meeting at the Court House to-morrow night will be one of unusual interest to friends of education.

A special Thanksgiving dinner was spread at the Phoenix yesterday, which was highly enjoyed, not only by the guests, but by many invited friends as well. It was one of Mrs. Cooper's very best efforts, and that is saying a great deal, for no one knows better than she how to prepare a good meal.

Hooser & Ballard, the old and reliable stove and queensware dealers, insert a conspicuous new advertisement to-day. Read it.

A young lady fainted in the audience at the Opera House Tuesday evening.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, 1887.

Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for more than 40 years, and would say that in all my practice and experience, have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a cure of Catarrh that it would not effect, if they would take it according to directions.

Yours Truly,
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

KATZEN-FRY.

An Interesting Event in Hebrew Society.

(Roanoke (Va.) Times.)

The marriage of Mr. Isaac Katzen to Miss Rebecca Fry, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, was one of the most interesting events which has occurred in Hebrew society in Roanoke.

Mr. Joseph Fry, of Hopkinsville, Ky., father of the bride, conducted a full ceremony according to the Hebrew faith. The groom and the bride, as in olden times, stood under a silk canopy held by four young men, Messrs. Harrison, Bates, Solomon and Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Morris gave away the groom and Mrs. G. May gave away the bride. Emblematic of true love, which should never be broken, the groom crushed a goblet under his foot, signifying that as the glass could not gather itself together, so they should never separate until death.

According to the Hebrew usage, the groom and bride sipped the ceremonial wine which is present at every feast, thus signifying that their blood should flow in both bodies as one. Following the service, conducted in Hebrew by Mr. Fry, the English service was conducted in legal form by Rev. J. E. Bushnell, pastor of St. Mark's church. A sumptuous collation was then enjoyed by all present. Numerous gifts and telegrams added to the zest of the hour.

Among those present were Rev. Dr. Phipps, Mrs. J. E. Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stewart, Dr. J. D. Kirk and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Esplan, Mr. Palmer, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Baer, Mr. and Mrs. Bachrach, Miss May, Miss Solomon, sister of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, parents of the host, and Mrs. Greenberg.

The happy couple left at 4:45 p. m. for Richmond and northern cities. They will make their future home at Pocahtons.

BULLARD-RAMSEY.

Miss Lizzie Bullard, one of Hopkinsville's most charming young ladies, spent a few days with Misses Nettie and Lily Bristor last week, and attended the marriage of her brother, Mr. J. M. Bullard, to Miss Dortha Ramsey, which happy event will be consummated this evening at Whitaker's Chapel, at 3 o'clock. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple will leave for their future home in Hopkinsville, where the groom is one of the rising young business men. Miss Ramsey is one of Logan's fairest feminine flowers in Whitaker's Chapel neighborhood, and we wish her in her new home the unalloyed happiness her gentility will confer on her husband and all others who chance to come within her lovely influence.—Herald Enterprise.

THE SCHOOLS TOOK HOLIDAY.

The banks and postoffice closed. None of the business houses were closed.

The Crescent Mills and Forbes' Mill shut down.

Services were held at the Casky Grange Hall by Revs. Kendall and Forgy.

The union services at the Christian Church were very interesting and largely attended.

The ladies of Grace Church made a beautiful display of fruits, grasses, etc. Never have we seen finer specimens of apples, potatoes, corn, cabbage, oats, etc., anywhere. They were arranged in groups about the chancel and altar with excellent taste, with a background of evergreens. Dr. Venable preached an appropriate sermon, and the music was excellent. The solo of Mrs. Bohannon was highly appreciated.

Hear Us Groan.

"The Clarksville papers are rejoicing over a display that is so started near the little town. A great spiritual revival may be looked for, and the rats may surrender the place to the proper authorities."—Hopkinsville, Ky.

When an old maid hole is compelled to sell its whisky on the sly, free Americans have the right to rejoice over a \$150,000 enterprise in the locality in which they reside. Hopkinsville hops on all kinds of institutions and succeeds in driving all that are offered her away, according to the rules set down by Kentucky's farce known as her law.

Take this, and chew on it, even if it does increase in size until you can't swallow it.—Clarksville Chronicle.

Don't let the rats devour what little corn you have, for you will become quite "wry."

In Chicago, the hot-bed of anarchy, there is an organized effort to teach the young that there is no God, no hell, no bible, no church, no good and no evil, and that our systems, government and civilization are nothing more than lies. The News says that the Anarchists have established Sunday-schools where boys and girls are to be brought up primed for social revolution. Down with the schools.

Mrs. Mildred R. Goodall, widow of the late A. C. Goodall, died at the residence of Mr. Jno. N. Mills last Tuesday, aged about 75 years. Her funeral was preached the following day by her pastor, Rev. W. L. Nourse.

One of the best evidences that the survey of the Ohio Valley Railroad will commence in a few days is that the chief engineer wrote this week to a friend here to engage his old cook for the new survey.

Wednesday was the day for electing two tobacco inspectors for this market, but owing to a failure to settle on two of the candidates, another effort will be made in the near future.

Citizens Progressive Ticket.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the approaching city election, which comes off Dec. 8. A citizens meeting was held this week and a ticket suggested for Councilmen as follows: W. M. Hill, M. C. Forbes, F. W. Dabney, J. G. Hord, R. M. Hurt, N. B. Shyer and F. F. Henderson.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

ELEGANT CABINET

Photographs at Bowles' Gallery, Ninth street, \$3 per dozen.

Cabinet Photographs \$3.00 per doz. at Anderson's gallery.

CARPETS

Cut without waste. Stop in and see the Carpet Exhibitor at FRANKEL'S.

JUST RECEIVED!

Mince meat, Maple Syrup, Plum Pudding, Cocoanuts, Currants, Raisins, Figs, Nuts, Oranges, Prunes, Apples, Peaches, Dates, Evaporated Fruits and Fancy Candles at Jno. W. Richards.

A fine line of Elegant Overcoats just received at FRANKEL'S.

FOR RENT.

Cottage with six acres of ground near city limits. JOHN B. THORPE.

Just Received

A big lot of Fine Underwear at FRANKEL'S.

COUNTRY HAMS.

A large lot of small Country Hams as Jno. W. Richards.

Elegant DRESS CLOTHS, all colors, at FRANKEL'S.

FOR RENT.

2 Good Store rooms on 7th St. for 1889. WINFREE & KELLY.

Bargains in Jackets and Cloaks at FRANKEL'S.

A fine line of Canned Goods, both foreign and domestic at Jno. W. Richards.

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HOOSER & BALLARD.

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CLOAKS!

Just received from a Bankrupt Sale an elegant line of Jackets and Short Wraps, at FRANKEL'S.

AT COST.

As Assignee of John W. Puff I will in the next 30 days sell his entire stock of saddles, bridles and harness at cost. Those desiring bargains in that line should call early.

D. L. JOHNSON, Assignee.

100 Patterns of Carpets to select from at FRANKEL'S.

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The best coal on the market for sale by T. H. Richardson, cor. Twentieth and Railroad sts., near Orr's old planing mill.

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